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## ARMY OFFICER'S TESTIMONY.

Captain JOSEPH L. HAYDEN, residing at No. 924 Fourth street, South Boston, Mass., formerly captain in the army, now with the Walworth Manufacturing Company, South Boston, writes, April 28, 1883: "While living in Cambridgeport my wife was afflicted with terrible pains in her back and sides, accompanied with great weakness and loss of appetite. She tried many so-called remedies without avail, growing rapidly worse. When her attention was called to Hunt's Remedy, she purchased a bottle from Lowell's druggists in Cambridgeport, and after taking the first dose she began to feel easier, she could sleep well, and continuing its use a short time the severe pains in her back and side entirely disappeared, and she is a well woman. Many of our relatives and friends have used Hunt's Remedy with the most gratifying results. I have recommended it many times, and as many times heard the same story. Hunt's Remedy is all that is claimed for it, and a real blessing to all afflicted with kidney or liver trouble."

## MADE A MAN OF HIM.

Mr. C. O. WHEELER, No. 23 Austin street, Cambridgeport, Mass., makes the following remarkable statement, on April 27, 1883, he writes as follows: "I have been troubled with kidney disease for nearly twenty years. Have suffered at times with terrible pains in my back and limbs. I used many medicines, but found nothing really cured me until I took Hunt's Remedy. I purchased a bottle of A. P. Gilson, 630 Tremont street, Boston, and before I had used this one bottle I found relief, and continuing its use, my pain and weakness all disappeared, and I feel like a new man, with new life and vigor. Hunt's Remedy did wonders for me, and I have no hesitancy in recommending it to all afflicted with kidney or liver diseases, as I am positive that by its use they will find immediate relief. You may use this letter in any way you choose, so that the people may know of a sure medicine for the cure of all diseases of kidneys and liver." my 24-TuW-SaTu

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## Richmond Dispatch.

SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1883.

THE CIRCULATION OF THE DISPATCH IS LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CIRCULATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWSPAPERS OF THE CITY.

(Entered at the Post-office at Richmond, Va., as second-class matter.)

## Late Weather Report.

(Special telegram to the Dispatch.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 26—1 A. M.—For the Middle Atlantic and South Atlantic States, warmer, fair weather, winds mostly southerly, and lower pressure.

THE WEATHER YESTERDAY was clear and cool.  
THERMOMETER YESTERDAY: 6 A. M., 56; 9 A. M., 64; noon, 80; 3 P. M., 88; 6 P. M., 80; midnight, 76.  
Mean temperature, 74.

## LOCAL MATTERS.

## Personals and Briefs.

Though the official returns are not all in, it is conceded that the Coalitionists have carried Henrico.

City Auditor J. B. Royster was coroner yesterday.

A meeting of the Hollywood Memorial Association will be held at 206 east Main street Monday, the 28th, at 11 o'clock.

Judge Welford yesterday made the final order in the Reservoir-avenue case. The result of this will be that a beautiful, wide, and well-landed avenue will be opened from Broad street to the city reservoir.

A number of gentlemen who have looked into the matter say that the best site for the City Hall is where Broad street intersects Ninth.

They would erect the building at the interesting point, and by purchase of property on the four corners, open all around it streets as wide as Broad.

The counsel who have returned here from Parkersburg, W. Va., believe that Chief-Justice Waite will decide the White Sulphur case favorably to the Phœbus lease.

The contractors for the improvements to our city gas-works have awarded the contract for the iron work needed for the same to the Tanner & Delaney Engine Company of this city. The value of the work is about \$5,000.

John Rose, clerk for secretary of the School Board, has drawn up a bill for the school election has to be confirmed by the City Council. From the State funds he cannot receive more than \$200 per annum.

The alarm of fire yesterday evening was on account of the burning of a shed in rear of the premises of Edward Cham, No. 412 east Marshall street. Some benzine used in cleaning clothes took fire and spread to the woodwork. Loss about \$30.

Mr. Robert G. Pace, of Lynchburg, is in the city.

George E. Smith, not G. A. Smith, was the candidate for clerk of the School Board.

The following grand officers of Druids have been elected for the next year: J. Lewis Richmond, noble grand arch; C. W. Tyler, deputy grand arch; W. E. Cree, grand secretary; William H. Dean, deputy grand secretary; George E. Dean, grand treasurer; E. F. Sak, grand inner guard.

The Order of the Golden Chain will have an entertainment at Sanger Hall on the 27th instant, and the programme for the occasion displays the showing of the amateur musicians in the city. Rev. C. B. Bittin will deliver a lecture on "The Golden Chain—Its Mission," &c.

Condition of the Canal When the New Pumps Were Tried.

The following has been furnished for publication in reply to the question of Mr. J. Maxwell.

RICHMOND AND ALLEGANY RAILROAD, }  
THREE-MILE LOCK, May 25, 1883. }  
N. D. Hargrave, Esq., Chairman Water }  
Committee, Richmond, Va.: }

Dear Sir,—By request of Mr. J. W. Tomlinson, Superintendent Pump-House, I herewith report to you the head of water on Richmond level on May 18, 1883. I was directed by Reuben Shirreffs, Esq., engineer water-power Richmond and Alleghany railroad, to reduce my usual full head of water on said Richmond level from 11 o'clock A. M. to 1 o'clock P. M., six inches, for the purpose of testing machinery of new pump-house, situated at this place. This I did. The train, with City Council on board, on this occasion was to run up as far as Bosher's dam, and returning, reached this place at 1 o'clock P. M. Failing to get here at that hour, I was ordered by Mr. Shirreffs to refill the Richmond level in its usual head, which I at once proceeded to do. The train with City Council on board did not reach this point until 2:15 P. M., at which time the Richmond level at this place was running at full head; therefore, in testing the machinery there had no advantage of the low head of water.

JOHN N. HOPKINS,

Superintendent Richmond Lock.

CHILDHOOD'S HAPPY HOURS.

QUEEN-OF-MAY CELEBRATION AT MOZART HALL.

Little and big folk, the former being largely in the majority, filled Mozart Hall last night to witness the Queen-of-May Entertainment for the benefit of Grace-Street Presbyterian church. The curtain rose upon a beautiful stage-setting, a throne being in the centre with bowers on either side, in one of which was a wee bit of a cupid of perhaps two summers.

The little subjects, to the number of about forty, dressed in varied hue, "as well as red, white, and blue," danced to view, singing a cheery song. Her Majesty then appeared, and ascended the throne with her maid of honor, after which the heralds, bearing a crown, marched in, and the Queen of Love and Beauty was crowned with grace and elegance. Innumerable gifts were then laid at the feet of her Majesty by her most loyal subjects, and it is certain greater homage was never paid one. Tableau and descriptive recitations followed, in which a number of grown persons participated—all of which passed off so nicely that it would be unjust to particularize where all did so well.

The entertainment will be repeated at a matinee to-day.

Manchester Matters.

A match game of base-ball will be played this afternoon between the Old Dominion and the Marshall Clubs at Riverside Park. The game promises to be lively and interesting.

Mr. Irving Wedger came up from Newport's News yesterday, and is sick at the residence of his brother, Mr. David J. Wedger, in this city.

The election was the chief topic of conversation on the street-corners yesterday. The Democrats are rejoicing over the success of their entire ticket in this city.

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY.—The Old Dominion Guard, Company D, First regiment Virginia volunteers, have through their officers tendered their services as escort to the Public Memory Post, Grand Army of the Republic, on May 30th (National Decoration day), and to assist them in decorating the graves of the Federal dead. It is understood that Company D will have a handsome floral design made for this occasion, with an appropriate program. This action of Company D is in deed praiseworthy, and it is hoped that all dead prisoners of war of Richmond who have in their employ members of this company will allow them to parade on this occasion.

## FAR-FAMED "F" COMPANY.

SEMI-ANNUAL REUNION OF THE ASSOCIATION.

Something about their War History, and a Brief Resume of the Company's Organization—A Pleasant Day Spent at "Wilton on the James" Yesterday.

The semi-annual reunion of the veterans of "F" Company Association took place yesterday at "Wilton," on James river, about eight miles below the city. This Association ranks among its members some of the best-known and most prominent citizens of Richmond, and it is looked upon with commendable pride by those who know and have heard of their deeds in our trying time. For the benefit and information of our older folks, as well as for the pleasure of the younger ones, we give the early history of this old company as published in the belief that our people generally will enjoy reading it.

## EARLY HISTORY.

The date of the original organization of "F" Company is the 19th of October, 1859, now nearly twenty-four years ago. The company had been formed some time before that, but the 19th of October being the anniversary of one of the most eventful days of the American Revolution, it was decided to adopt that day as the company day, and so date its organization. Under the command of that sterling officer Captain R. Milton Cary (to whom, by the way, the company was indebted for the splendid efficiency in drill for which it was subsequently celebrated), the company assembled at Corinthian Hall, on Main between Ninth and Tenth streets, on the night of the 17th of October, 1859, for their first inspection in full-dress uniform, prior to their public parade on the 19th. Previous to that, during the same afternoon, our people had been thrown into a ferment of excitement by the news from Harper's Ferry of the John Brown raid, and a report that Governor Wise was preparing to send troops to quell the place, and place of cool fortitude, promptly rendered the services of his corps for immediate duty if required, and the Governor, believing prompt action necessary, accepted the offer and ordered Captain Cary to prepare his command for immediate departure. At night as the men began to assemble at the drill place, they placed two sentinels at the door, with order to allow none to leave the room after entering it. By half-past 7 o'clock sixty men were present, and, forming the company, Captain Cary informed them of the trouble at Harper's Ferry and the Governor's order. The men received the information with cheers, and amid great enthusiasm preparations for the march were at once begun, and in a few minutes finished, the only thing necessary for active service, in relation to what they had to do, had been accomplished. They were then promptly ordered to the drill place, and the drill was commenced. The drill was so well executed that the Governor, who was present, and the Governor, believing prompt action necessary, accepted the offer and ordered Captain Cary to prepare his command for immediate departure. At night as the men began to assemble at the drill place, they placed two sentinels at the door, with order to allow none to leave the room after entering it. By half-past 7 o'clock sixty men were present, and, forming the company, Captain Cary informed them of the trouble at Harper's Ferry and the Governor's order. The men received the information with cheers, and amid great enthusiasm preparations for the march were at once begun, and in a few minutes finished, the only thing necessary for active service, in relation to what they had to do, had been accomplished. They were then promptly ordered to the drill place, and the drill was commenced.

How changed now! In the parlors no grand furniture; in the ladies' chambers no elegant surroundings. Only bachelors' furnished rooms. Gone are the pictures of the Randolphs and the place and place of cool fortitude, promptly rendered the services of his corps for immediate duty if required, and the Governor, believing prompt action necessary, accepted the offer and ordered Captain Cary to prepare his command for immediate departure. At night as the men began to assemble at the drill place, they placed two sentinels at the door, with order to allow none to leave the room after entering it. By half-past 7 o'clock sixty men were present, and, forming the company, Captain Cary informed them of the trouble at Harper's Ferry and the Governor's order. The men received the information with cheers, and amid great enthusiasm preparations for the march were at once begun, and in a few minutes finished, the only thing necessary for active service, in relation to what they had to do, had been accomplished. They were then promptly ordered to the drill place, and the drill was commenced.

Under yonder, where now a squad of old "F" Company veterans are testing their marksmanship at a young owl, whose plumage precludes its visibility of flight, Captain Cary spent his first night of war experience in the Pawnee parlor. An old member points out the tree he slept under that night, and as he was a boy then, and now has whitened moustache and hair, he emphasizes his statement by saying, "I recollect that house, except that the porch is gone."

Of all the dinners enjoyed this season that of the Association surpassed any. The appetite was completely satisfied; nothing was wanting, and whether it was owing to John Dalney (the colored caterer), Captain Cary, or to the fact that the company was so well supplied with food, it is not known.

The shooting for the prize was open to all, and was won by Mr. J. F. Meredith, who made a speech on the occasion, and the company's medal.

Mr. R. B. Gunn, the manager of the "Wilton estate," hospitably welcomed the guests to the farm, and threw the house open for their accommodation.

At 8 o'clock the excursionists reached Richmond, and if there was any one that did not spend a pleasant day no one knew it.

## Base-Ball.

THE RICHMOND AGAIN DEFEAT THE SIDONS.

One of the most exciting games of ball this season was played yesterday evening between the Richmond and the Sidons, the former winning by a score of 10 to 4.

The catcher on the Sidons had his hand badly split in the second inning.

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designs at the graves of General Edward Johnson, General Hill, and General J. E. B. Stuart, and Lieutenant John M. Ford, were generously contributed by Captain J. T. Rogers. Thanks are returned also to Captain Alonzo Phillips for use of cart and hand Memorial-day.

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From the examination made of the work we find it admirably adapted to the wants of Sunday schools, as well as of general praise-meetings.

Many of the melodies are very beautiful, and so selected as to please both young and old, and persons with tastes as diverse as well as those more uneducated.

We notice several songs in this book the words of which are from the pen of our gifted friend Mrs. George O. Robinson. We would call special attention to these as being gems in their line